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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :Group Art Unit: 1644
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JOHN DUPRE : :
:Examiner: P. Nolan
Serial No.: 09/280,020 : :
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Filed: 03/29/99 : :
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For: TREATMENT OF DIABETES : :
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RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed
June 18, 1999, please enter the following amendments and
consider the following remarks.

AMENDMENTS

Please amend the application as follows:

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(37 C.F.R. § 1.8a)

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